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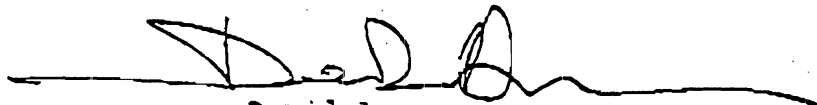
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MEMORANDUM FOR

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

Last year, the President requested the Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs to prepare a complete report for him on the matter of the possible diversion of nuclear material from the NUMEC plant in Apollo, Pennsylvania. It is necessary at this time to prepare an update on the status of this matter and I therefore request your cooperation in providing a complete briefing to Dr. Jessica Tuchman Mathews of the National Security Council staff, by the appropriate officials of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.



David Aaron
Deputy Assistant to the President
for National Security Affairs

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November 6, 1978

MEMORANDUM FOR: DAVID AARON

FROM: JESSICA TUCHMAN MATHEWS JTM

SUBJECT: Diversion of Nuclear Material to Israel

I have attempted to set up a meeting with the FBI to get briefed on what has happened since I last talked to them in July 1977. The FBI has informed Jerry Jennings that the investigation is still ongoing and since it is a criminal investigation they cannot brief me without instructions from the Attorney General. This is a little surprising since I don't remember having this trouble last time, but Jerry thinks that it could be handled relatively easily by your signing the attached note.

RECOMMENDATION:

That you sign the attached note to the Attorney General.

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